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RIBBON CARTRIDGE

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LETTER

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Enclosed is a Supplemental Application Data Sheet for which issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt is requested.

There is an error with respect to the middle initial of the first named inventor. Rather than "M." it should have been "R." Thus, the inventor's name should read: "James R. Meier".

The error occurred as a result of clerical error and was made in good faith and without any deceptive intent. James Meier remains an inventor for the above-identified application/patent. Also enclosed is a Supplemental Declaration executed by James R. Meier.

I have reviewed 37 C.F.R. § 1.48 (Correction of inventorship in a patent application, other than a reissue application, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 116). The rule does not address the above-described typographical error problem. I received instructions from an experienced examiner through the Inventors Assistance Center to correct the error in the manner provided above.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

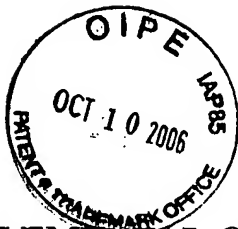
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SPECIFICATION AND INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed, and for which a patent is sought, on the invention entitled IDENTIFICATION CARD PRINTER AND RIBBON CARTRIDGE the specification of which,

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☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed on August 25, 2003 as Appln. No. 10/647,666.

☐ and was amended on _____.

☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application

No. _____ filed on _____ and as amended under PCT

Article 19 on _____.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is known to me to be material to the patentability of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. § 119)

Prior Foreign Application(s)

I claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a-d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below, each of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety, and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed	Priority Claimed
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Prior Provisional Application(s)

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States Provisional Application(s) listed below, each of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety:

Number	Day/Month/Year Filed
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<u>60/117,123</u>	<u>January 25, 1999</u>
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<u>60/459,712</u>	<u>April 2, 2003</u>
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PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. § 120)

I claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below, each of which is incorporated by reference in its entirety. Insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Patent Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Appln. No.	U.S. Appl. No. (if any under PCT)	Filing Date	Status
<u>10/071,554</u>	<u> </u>	<u>February 8, 2002</u>	<u>Pending</u>
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DECLARATION

I declare that all statements made herein that are of my own knowledge are true and that all statements that are made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Supplemental Application Data Sheet

Application Information

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